

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF COUNCIL

HIS WORSHIP, THE MAYOR AND COUNCILLORS

SUBJECT: 11-L-001 FESTIVALS BURNABY GRANT APPLICATION – LARGE

SCALE EVENT – EUROFEST BC SOCIETY

RECOMMENDATION:

1. THAT Council award a Festivals Burnaby Grant in the amount of \$10,000 to the Eurofest BC Society to assist with the cost of hosting the European Festival in Burnaby 2011 May 28.

REPORT

The Executive Committee of Council, at its meeting held on 2011 April 21, received and adopted the <u>attached</u> report evaluating a Festivals Burnaby grant request from the Eurofest BC Society to assist with the cost of hosting the European Festival in Burnaby on 2011 May 28.

Respectfully submitted,

Councillor N. Volkow Chair

Councillor P. Calendino Vice Chair

Councillor P. McDonell Member

Copied to: City Manager

Director Parks, Recr. & Cult. Services

Director Finance





TO: CHAIR AND MEMBERS DATE: 2011 April 12

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF COUNCIL

FROM: DIRECTOR PARKS, RECREATION & CULTURAL SERVICES

SUBJECT: FESTIVALS BURNABY GRANT PROGRAM

PURPOSE: Grant Approval Request

RECOMMENDATION:

1. THAT Council be requested to award a Festivals Burnaby Grant in the amount of \$10,000 to the Eurofest BC Society for the annual European Festival to be held 2011 May 28.

REPORT

Festivals and Special Events: Large Scale

Grant File 11-L-001: Eurofest BC Society

Application received: 2011 March 10

Project Budget: \$66,000 Project Request: \$21,000

An application request for \$21,000 has been received to support the annual European Festival on 2011 May 28. The 2011 event will be the 14th edition of the festival which brings together over 25 member countries including the Metis nation to celebrate European culture, merchandise, performance and food. The application has been completed in full and the applicant has demonstrated in the proposal and supplementary materials that they have the capacity to complete the project.

The City's grant would be used to support programming costs related to the renting of equipment and labour, advertising of the event and some administrative costs, all of which are eligible grant expenses.

It was also noted in the application the need for policing support for the event which can be addressed outside of the grant program.

To: Executive Committee of Council

From: Director Parks, Recreation & Cultural Services

Re: Festivals Burnaby Grant Program

The application was submitted as a Large Scale grant despite not meeting the 8 month lead time. It is recommended that the Executive Committee and Council award a Festivals Burnaby grant in the amount of \$10,000 the maximum level of the Small Scale grant category to the Eurofest BC Society for the annual European Festival to be held 2011 May 28.

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